

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Governor has refused to pardon James Crabtree.

Judge Gray is the successor to Chief Justice Clifford, lately deceased.

Kansas City is now agitating herself over the proper place to locate the new fair grounds.

The bill granting Mrs. Garfield the Franking privilege has passed both houses of Congress.

The town of Independence in Jackson county was the scene of a \$10,000 fire on Sunday night.

Ex-Secretary Blaine will deliver an eulogy upon the life and services of the late President Garfield.

The appointment of Benjamin H. Brawster, for Attorney General was confirmed by the Senate on Monday.

Our Mr. Filley will have to take a back seat in the Republican synogogue, and play on the horse organ.

Chief Justice Gray of Massachusetts has been confirmed associate justice of the supreme court of the United States. A most excellent appointment. Judge Gray is a pure and able man.

It is thought that the next cabinet appointment will be that of Ex-Senator Sargeant of California, as secretary of the interior department. He is said to be an able man, but a bitter partisan of the Stalwart breed.

The women have at last succeeded in stirring up that old political pest, Hoar, a Massachusetts Senator on the question of woman's suffrage. He has introduced a resolution in the Senate asking for the appointment of a committee to investigate that subject.

The Senates Finance committee, on the 20th inst, decided to report favorably on Mr. Morrill's bill to raise a commission to revise the present tariff. All admit that a revision of the tariff is demanded by the best interests of our country, but many oppose the raising of a commission for that purpose.

Senator Vest introduced a bill on the 19th inst. providing for the auditing of Missouri's claims for the rent of buildings occupied by the Federal troops during the late war. The claims amount to between fifty and seventy-five thousand dollars. We hope the Senator may succeed in getting the bill through Congress. It is but just, and our citizens should be remunerated by the government.

Riddlebarger was elected to the United States Senate by the Virginia Legislature on the 19th inst. to succeed Senator John W. Johnson. Riddlebarger received the full Re-adjuster vote except two in the joint assembly. Johnson's vote was forty-five, showing that thirteen Democrats were either absent or not voting. Thus one of the best workers in the Senate is displaced by a rank demagogue and blatherskite.

Speaker Keifer of the National House of Representatives has at last completed his list of the House committees. We imagine that the gentleman has experienced no little trouble in the preparation of a list that would meet the approval of the leading members of his party. Those members who were competitors of Mr. Keifer's for the speakership have been assigned to the chairmanship of the most important committees, the usual course observed in such cases, and it is right.

The election of Riddlebarger to the senate would indicate that the Re-adjusters in Virginia have not lived up to their bargain with the Republicans and the administration. It was arranged, if we mistake not, that the Republicans were to have the United States Senator in consideration of the assistance lent by the Virginia Republicans and the national administration to the Re-adjusters in the late State election. We looked for the election to the Senate of that old crank politician the Lieut. Gov. elect Lewis.

Howe, the newly appointed Post master-General, had nothing to commend himself to the President unless it was his Stalwartism. He is the slave of Grant and Conkling and will do their bidding. The chief counsel for Brady, the ring-leader of the Star route thieves is son-in-law to Howe, and this may account for his nomination as head of the Post Office department. He can, and we dare say will, throw any amount of cold water on the prosecution of the Star route ring. A vigorous prosecution of that pack of public plunderers might knock some high roosting Republican gobbler off his pegs. So it must be smothered and Howe is the man to do the work.

The heart of Mrs. Burkleo was made to leap for joy a few evenings since at the unexpected return of her long lost boy, W. L. Burkleo, after an absence of four years. The reporter met the young man Friday and in a short interview, he detailed his ramblings since he left the roof of his mother. He states that from Butler he went east and remained a short while. Finding that country destitute of any attractions that were calculated to chain him to it he turned his eye upon the far west and spent two years in the mining regions of New Mexico and Colorado, and from thence he went as far south as Vicksburg, Mississippi, and remained a short time, going north and stopping in Chicago, where he has lived for two years, and until his return to Butler. The young man says out west he could not conveniently write, and after his return east he neglected to do so. During her son's absence, Mrs. Burkleo has advertised her son extensively. She had almost despaired of ever seeing him again, when the supposed lost boy stepped in and lifted off from a kind mother's heart, a load of sadness that had bound it down for years. Mr. Burkleo is as yet undecided whether he will remain in Butler or not.

M. V. Strab and Lavina Sage, were yoked up at the Palace Hotel on Thursday evening. Elder Brown of the Baptist church tied the knot for the happy twain. We wish them a long pull, a strong pull and an altogether pull, up the hill of life.

We were shown a specimen of the Bibles and Testaments gotten up by the home mission of the American Bible Society by Mr. Feeks, the colporteur on Thursday. The work is handsomely executed and reflects great credit on the Mission.

A wood vender came to town on Thursday with a load, he sold it, took the proceeds and got on a high lonesome, and then started for his home. His team became frightened, run off and he fell off the wagon. This morning he looks as if he had been run through a threshing machine.

County Attorney, Tom Silvers, received a requisition from Governor Crittenden Thursday on Gov. Roberts of Texas for the return of one Walter Hobbs, charged with the larceny of a pair of mules and a buggy, he stole from C. C. Peeler, some time since. Salt him down Tom.

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